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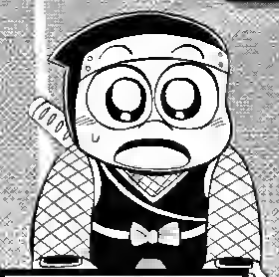

HACHI

Joker's assistant. Can be a bit unreliable sometimes, but he's always there to support Joker.

JOKER

A phantom thief who travels the world to steal treasure after treasure. A miracle maker who can get himself out of any pinch with miraculous tricks!!

QUEEN

As Silver Heart's granddaughter, she's a female phantom thief who trained alongside Joker and Spade.

SILVER HEART

A legendary phantom thief that goes by the name "The Silver Magician." Joker and Spade's master.

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DOMUSABUROU ONIYAMA
Head of the Tokyo metro police department's phantom thief task force, with a mind like a steel trap. He relentlessly chases after Joker.
SHADOW JOKER
A mysterious young man who looks just like Joker. His methods of stealing are violent.
KYOUTAROU HAYAMI
A young, genius detective who's unraveled many a case.
DARK EYE
Spade's obedient assistant.
TERU & PANTA
Two friends in the same class. No matter what they do, they're always together.
SPADE
Joker's greatest rival. Though they fight like cats and dogs, in truth, they have complete trust in each other.

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RED SCORPION
An underworld jack of all trades. He came to take back the treasure Joker stole.
GENERAL BASIL
The commander-in-chief of the Saffron Kingdom. For the sake of world conquest he plans to recreate "The Light of Ragnarok."
ABDULLAH
Professor Clever's subordinate. He's after Joker.

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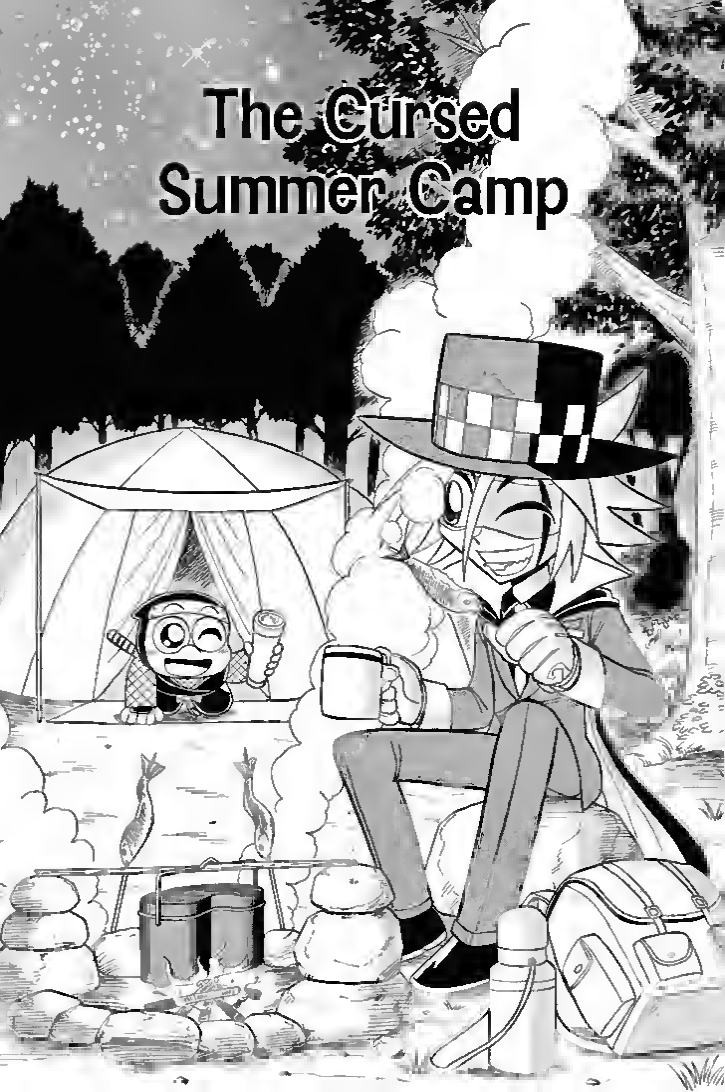
The Cursed Summer Camp



GIVE BACK THE TREA-SURE!!
C-CURSE YOU, PHAN-TOM THIEF!!
1:00 AM
RIVERS TOWER
SORRY, GENTLEMEN! I'LL BE TAKING THE "MAGATAMA OF IZANAMI"!!
AU RE-VOIR !!

GEEZ, I BET YOU CAUGHT A SUMMER COLD FROM JUMPING INTO THAT RIVER!
AH... AH-CHOO !!
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!?
I-IN FRONT OF YOU!
JO-KER-SAN!
YEAH, YEAH.
WHAT IF I HAD ENDED UP WASHING THEM BOTH !?
AND PLEASE DON'T GO PUTTING YOUR WET CLOTHES TOGETHER WITH THE TREASURE!
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LOOK OOO OUUT ~!!!

UWAAAAAA~!!!
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HM?
JOKER-SAN, THIS IS BAD!!
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WHAT WAS WITH THOSE GUYS?
STOOOP! THAT BAG ISN'T YO...
Whaaaat!?
THOSE KIDS GRABBED THE BACK-PACK THE TREASURE WAS IN!!
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Alright! We just made it!!
WELL THEN, FROM HERE ON IT'S A BEELINE TO THE CAMPSITE!
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THEY TOOK IT WITH THEEEEMM~!!?

What do we do? Well of course
W-What do we do now?
Teacheer~ Soyama-kun threw up.
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THE SECOND THERE'S AN OPENING, WE'LL STEAL BACK THE BAG!!
WE FOLLOW AFTER THEM ~!!
THIS HAS BECOME QUITE THE MESS, HASN'T IT. ?
OH BOY
I can't wait~!!
Whooaa~! We're camping here?!

I'LL JUST USE MY PLAYING CARDS OR IMAGE GUM O SOMETHING.
HOW ARE WE SUPPOSED TO GET CLOSE TO THEM?
THERE'S KIDS EVERYWHERE!
.....
OK
NOW THEN, LET'S GROUP UP AND START SETTING UP OUR TENTS, EVERYONE!
EEE EK~
IT'S A WASP. DON'T MOVE!
YES?
NOT YOU!!
GEH-! A BEE!!
HM?
T/N: THE JAPANESE WORD FOR BEE IS HACHI
!?

I'VE BEEN TASKED TO TAKE BACK THE TREASURE BY THE PEOPLE YOU STOLE IT FROM...
I'M "RED SCORPION."
W-WHO'S THERE!?
Red Scorpion
(an underworld jack of all trades)

WHAT'S THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN?

BUT NOW, YOU'RE NOT THE ONE HOLDING THE TREASURE
TO BE FRANK, IF YOU GOT IN MY WAY- I WAS PLANNING ON USING ANY MEANS TO COMPLETE MY OBJECTIVE.

AND IT'S NOT LIKE I'LL GET PAID A HANDSOME SUM OF MONEY IF THE BRAT HAPPENS TO GET KILLED...
WELL, I DON'T WANT TO DO ANY POINTLESS WORK, YOU SEE.

THIS WAY, NOTHING UNNE-CESSARY NEEDS TO HAPPEN, RIGHT?
YOU GET THE TREASURE BACK FROM THE BRAT AND THEN, JUST LIKE I PLANNED, I'LL STEAL IT FROM YOU.
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, YOU CREEP!!
K-KILLED ~!?
AH- HEY!!
I'LL GIVE YOU UNTIL TOMORROW NIGHT
YEAH...
...I've got a *really* bad feeling about that guy
YES! NOW'S OUR CHANCE!
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THAT'S WEIRD. THIS SHOULD BE THE RIGHT BACKPACK, BUT THE TREASURE ISN'T ANYWHERE INSIDE?
WE'LL FIND THE TREASURE BEFORE THAT GUY DOES!
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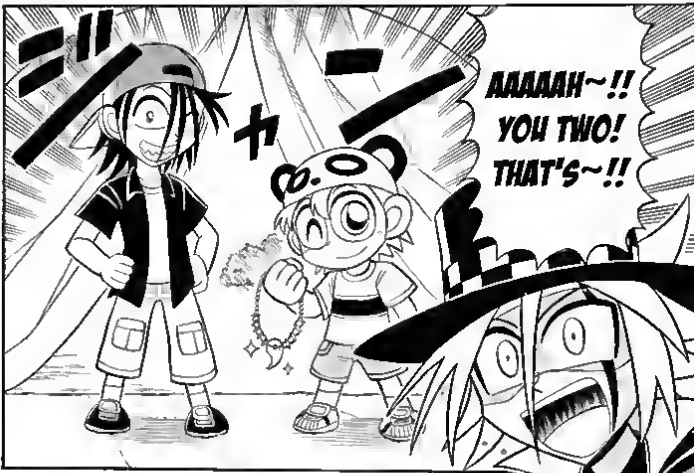
THAT'S FAR ENOUGH, JOKER!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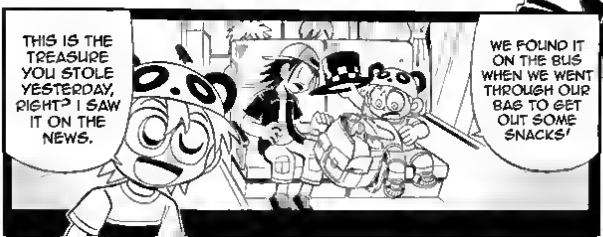
AAAAAH~!! YOU TWO! THAT'S~!!


THIS IS THE TREASURE YOU STOLE YESTERDAY, RIGHT? I SAW IT ON THE NEWS.
WE FOUND IT ON THE BUS WHEN WE WENT THROUGH OUR BAG TO GET OUT SOME SNACKS!

SO YOU THINK YOU'VE BEATEN ME?
NNN~?
WE MIGHT EVEN GET IN THE NEWS-PAPER!
IF WE TURN THIS INTO THE POLICE AFTER CAMPING, WE'LL BE HEROES!
AAH! MY PLAYING CARDS!!
Whaaat's this?!
NOT
STRAIGHT FLASH!!
UWAAAAAAAAAA---!!

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WHO KNOWS?
IT LOOKS LIKE PANTA AND TERU ARE RUNNING UP THE MOUNTAIN, BUT WHY ARE THEY IN SUCH A HURRY?

AAA
A HA HA HA HA HA!

DARN IT~ THOSE BRATS

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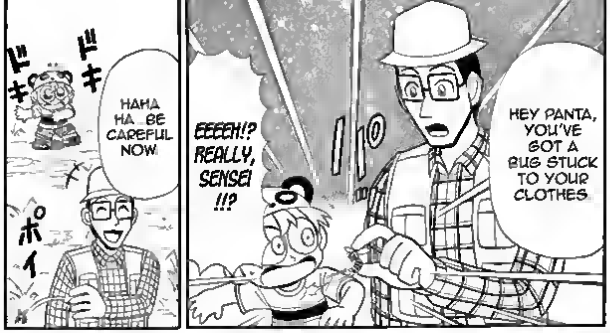
Joker's no big deal at all!!!
The image gum trick was a success!!

JO-KER'S USE-LESS
HMPH

IT SHOULD BE ABOUT TIME TO MAKE THE CURE!!
THEN AFTER THAT IS THE TEST OF COU-RAGE!

NO WAY~
SO THEN HE TURNED OUT TO BE IN THE CLASS NEXT-DOOR!
RIGHT NOW I'M AT LEVEL 10!
HOW FAR ARE YOU ON THAT GAME?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HAHA HA BE CAREFUL NOW
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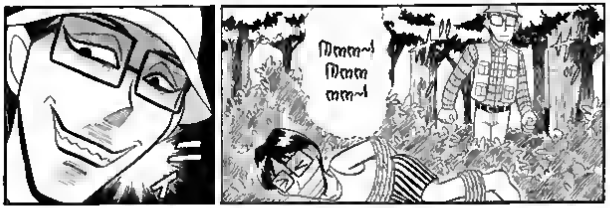
EEEEH!? REALLY, SENSEI !!?
HEY PANTA, YOU'VE GOT A BUG STUCK TO YOUR CLOTHES


Mmm~ Mmm mm~!

ALRIGHT THEN, LET'S START THE TEST OF COURAGE!
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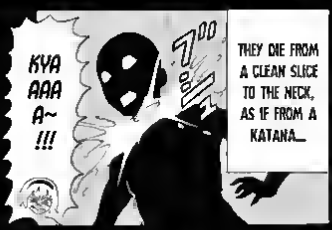
Darn it~ They tricked us~!!
YOU SHOULD HAVE NOTICED BEFORE WE REACHED THE TOP OF THE MOUNTAIN!

THEY SAY THAT IF ANYONE WHO HAS COMMITTED SOME SORT OF SIN ENTERS THIS MOUNTAIN...
LONG AGO, THIS PLACE WAS SUPPOSEDLY AN EXECUTION SITE...
SOMETHING SINISTER HAPPENS...

AS A MATTER OF FACT, THERE'S A STORY CALLED "THE BEHEADING CURSE" THAT TAKES PLACE ON THIS VERY MOUNTAIN


KYA AAA A~ !!!
THEY DIE FROM A CLEAN SLICE TO THE NECK, AS IF FROM A KATANA...

AND THEN, THE FOLLOWING NIGHT...
WITHOUT THEM BEING AWARE OF IT, A BLACK MARK APPEARS AROUND THEIR NECK...

KINDA SETS THE MOOD JUST A LITTLE, HUH?
YEAH, I GUESS SO...

EH!?

WHETHER OR NOT THAT'S TRUE REMAINS A MYSTERY...
THOUGH THEY SAY IF YOU CLEANSE YOURSELF WITH THE WATER FROM THE SHRINE'S WELL, YOU CAN ESCAPE DEATH...

EEE EEE EEH !?
WHAT'S WITH THAT MARK ON YOUR NECK, PANTA!?
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THAT STORY WAS ACTUALLY TRUE!?
WHAT IS THAT!? WAS PANTA-KUN CURSED!?

IT'S OFF THE COURSE WE'RE SUPPOSED TO FOLLOW, BUT LET'S TRY CHECKING OUT THE SHRINE WELL.
GOAL
OKAY
START
IF THAT WERE TRUE, I'D HAVE A MARK TOO...
BECAUSE YOU HAVE THE TREASURE JOKER STOLE?
W-WHAT'LL I DO? DOES THIS MEAN I'M GONNA DIE AT THIS RATE?
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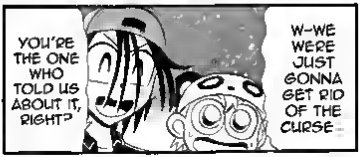
HEY! YOU TWO!!

YOU KNOW YOU SHOULDN'T BE HERE! WHAT IF YOU'D GOTTEN LOST!?
SENSEI!

WAIT, WHAT'S THAT IN YOUR HAND THERE?
YOU REALLY BELIEVED THAT GHOST STORY?


YOU'RE THE ONE WHO TOLD US ABOUT IT, RIGHT?
W-WE WERE JUST GONNA GET RID OF THE CURSE

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IT'S THE BEHEADING CUUURSE!!
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THE TREASURE IS MINE...
WITH THIS, I WON'T HAVE ANY MORE BEATS GETTING CLOSE TO THIS PLACE.
KU KU KU...
HOLD IT RIGHT THERE!!
IT'S JUST A SIMPLE TRICK!!
THAT GUY ISN'T CURSED!!

The mark on your neck was also a trick...
From the front, it looks like their head was chopped off and falls into their hands.
Wire
Television shows use this trick a lot. By using wire to support a coat or jacket, and then bending down.
ENOUGH FOOLING AROUND. WHY NOT SHOW US YOUR REAL IDENTITY ALREADY?
SO THAT THE SOOT OF THE SMOKE FROM THE CAMPFIRE WOULD ACCUMULATE THERE, TURNING IT BLACK
Put the cream on while pretending to remove the rug.
I BET THERE WAS AN OPPORTUNITY WHERE THE CULPRIT COULD APPLY A HAND CREAM-LIKE SUBSTANCE.

H-HE'S NOT OUR TEACHER!?
GOOD JOB SEEING THROUGH ALL MY TRICKS, JOKER!!

HEH
HEH
HEH

AHAHAHA

HACHI! TAKE THE KIDS AND HIDE IN THE WELL!
I'LL TAKE CARE OF THIS GUY!!
R-RIGHT!
GO!!
HAH-!!
YOU CAN'T POSSIBLY HIT ME IN THIS DARKNESS.
WHEREAS YOU'RE PERFECTLY VISIBLE TO ME!!
HAHA ...!!

I WONDER ABOUT THAT?
NOW I CAN SEE YOU JUST FINE!!
DIS-EMBO-DIED SOULS!?
W-WHAT'RE THOSE!?
WHAT DID YOU DO, JOKER?
IMPOS-SIBLE! THERE'S NO SUCH THING AS SPIRITS!!
AND THE TREASURE TOO!

HAA-
AH!!!
IT WAS JUST THIS THING GIVING OFF LIGHT INSIDE A VINYL BAG!?
A FIRE-FLY!?
!?
YOU HAVE NO CHANCE OF WIN-NING!!
HAHAHA! IF I JUST DESTROY THEM ALL, YOU'LL BE IN THE DARK AGAIN!!
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YOU'D BETTER NOT DO ANYTHING ROUGH, YOU HEAR?
"TO ANYONE WHO ENTERS THIS MOUNTAIN HAVING COMMITTED SOME SORT OF SIN, SOMETHING SINISTER HAPPENS."
HEY NOW YOU SAID THIS WAS A TEST OF COURAGE, RIGHT?
!?
THIS IS THE LAST ONE!!
YOU'RE AN IDIOT IF YOU ACTUALLY BELIEVED IT!
THAT WAS JUST A STORY I MADE UP!
W-WHAT IS THIS!!?

I CAUGHT THESE WASPS WHILE I WAS CLIMBING THE MOUNTAIN.
NO.
YOU REALIZE *YOU* WON'T GET OUT OF THIS UN-SCATHED EITHER!!
IMPOS-SIBLE!! YOU CAUGHT A SWARM LIKE *THIS*!?
WHY YOU SO YOU HAD BUG SPRAY PREPARED !?
YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE THEY'LL BE AFTER!
AND THE THREE IN THE WATER WELL WILL BE SAFE.
WASPS GET AGITATED AND ATTACK WHEN THEY SEE THE COLOR *BLACK*!

OR DO YOU NOT CARE WHAT HAPPENS TO THEM !?
HAND IT OVER!!
CATCH!
'Tch...
SO LONG, JOKER !!
AND AFTER-WARDS, I CAN TAKE MY TIME GETTING BACK THE "MAGATAMA OF IZANAMI"!
I'VE DONE IT! NOW THEY'LL BE AFTER JOKER!!
WHAT !?
H-HUH !?

GYA AAA AAA AAA AAA AAA AAA AAA !!!
HERE'S THE REAL BUG SPRAY
SORRY, BUT THAT'S JUST BLACK SPRAY PAINT
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Eep.
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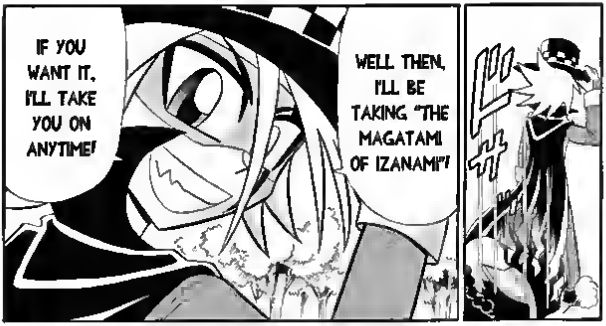
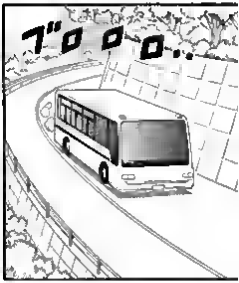

IF YOU WANT IT, I'LL TAKE YOU ON ANYTIME!
WELL THEN, I'LL BE TAKING "THE MAGATAMI OF IZANAMI"!

REALLY? BUT THERE WERE A LOT OF FUN THINGS ABOUT IT TOO.
SIIIIGH... I'VE ALREADY HAD ENOUGH OF CAMPING...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I COULD'VE SWORN I PUT THEM IN HERE...
HUH? THAT'S WEIRD.
When we get back home, let's pull some pranks with them!
I know! We still have the playing cards and image gum
ME TOO!!
M-MINE TOO!
Sensei~ The snacks I had left are gone!
WHO STOLE THEM!?
怪盗
ジョーカー
THE CURSED SUMMER CAMP
FIN

DARN IT!! THAT'S SO COOL!!
I'M GONNA GO UP THE MOUNTAIN AGAIN!
I caught this while climbing the mountain!!